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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	
Rajeev CHAWLA et al.	Group Art Unit: 2663
Application No.: 09/545,571	Examiner: J. Richey
Filed: April 7, 2000	RECEIVED
For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR ) PROVIDING A TRANSPARENT	DEC 0 8 2003
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## AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In reply to the Office Action mailed September 8, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Abstract are included in this paper.

Amendments to the Specification are included in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are included in the attached replacement drawing sheet. The amendments are discussed in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.

**Attachments** to this amendment include Replacement Sheet 1 - Figure 13.

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